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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Philip Dehazya. Examiner: Dwayne Jones  
Serial No: 10/649,082 Group Art Unit: 1614  
Filed: August 26, 2003 Docket: 8103-7 (5101)  
For: **SODIUM HYALURONATE MICROSPHERES**

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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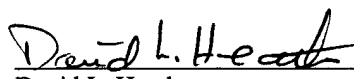
In response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 11, 2005, please reconsider this application in light of the following amendments and remarks.

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM**

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.  
☐ A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.  
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Melanie L. Brown  
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